

**TITLE OF THE INVENTION**

**Apple Tree Named ‘Fugachee Fuji’**

**CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application claims priority of provisional U.S. application Ser. No. 60/426,974, filed

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**STATEMENT REGARDING FEDERALLY SPONSORED RESEARCH OR  
DEVELOPMENT.**

None.

**LATIN NAME OF THE GENUS AND SPECIES OF THE PLANT CLAIMED**

10 *Malus pumila*

**VARIETY DENOMINATION**

‘Fugachee Fuji’

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

The new apple tree of the present invention was discovered as a sport mutation of its  
15 parent Fuji tree in a cultivated orchard near Brewster, Washington.

## BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The ‘Fugachee Fuji’ apple tree is distinguishable from its parent and from other related varieties by its early maturity. The new apple tree has been observed to remain true to type over successive asexually propagated generations.

## 5 BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS

FIG. 1 shows a selection of fruit of ‘Fugachee Fuji’;

FIG. 2 shows a fruit of ‘Fugachee Fuji’;

FIG. 3 shows a fruit of ‘Fugachee Fuji’;

FIG. 4 shows a fruit of ‘Fugachee Fuji’; and

10 FIG. 5 shows sectioned fruit of ‘Fugachee Fuji’.